

THE WEATHER TODAY
Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—Forecast for Eastern New York: Cloudy Thursday, probably local rains; Friday, partly cloudy.

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MORE THAN 40,000 TURKS IN HANDS OF BRITISH

ENEMY IN TURKEY AND MACEDONIA STILL IN FLIGHT

Allies Draw More Closely Upon St. Quentin From Three Sides

BRITISH TAKE SELENCY

Bulgars and Germans, in Rapid Retreat, Unable to Stop Entente Troops

CITIZENS READY TO FLEE METZ

Such Perturbation in Germany Over Shelling of American Long Range Guns

(By the Associated Press.)

The Teutonic Allied forces in Macedonia and Turkey still are in flight before the armies of the entente, while on the highly important St. Quentin sector in France, the British and French armies, after hard fighting, have drawn more closely their lines in investment of the town on the northwest, west and south. The stubborn resistance of the Germans, in defence and counter attacks, has been unavailing except to impede the progress of the armies of Field Marshal Haig and General Debeny.

In Macedonia, the Bulgarian and German troops are still faced with disaster; in Palestine the remaining Turks seem to have scarcely a chance to escape from the British forces and friendly tribesmen who are closing upon them east of the River Jordan. More than 40,000 prisoners and 65 guns have been taken by the British, and yet General Allenby's appetite for further emolument for his hard campaign has not been satisfied.

Guaged by the swiftness of the stroke Allenby is delivering, it is his purpose absolutely to overwhelm the Ottoman and the fulfillment of his plans seems appreciably near.

Bulgars and Huns in Rapid Retreat. In a no less critical situation are the Germans and Bulgarians in the Macedonian theatre. Here, except immediately on the Bulgarian frontier, where the mountainous country gives them ground for strong resistance to the invasion of Bulgarian territory through the passes, the Bulgarians and Germans everywhere are in rapid retreat before the Italians, Serbians, Greeks and British. Bent in twain at several points, the enemy forces are bewildered and are operating as separate units.

Respectively, on the western and eastern flanks, the Italians, Greeks and British are fast throwing forward their line in endeavors to envelop the enemy, while in the center, where the Serbs have driven their sharp wedge toward Ishp, there is no lagging, notwithstanding the difficult territory that is being encountered. Rear wards of the enemy, armed with machine guns, are but little delaying the men, whose task is to reclaim their kingdom.

Expect Activity in Albania.

As yet, there is no news of great activity in Albania, but a resumption of operations there in conjunction with those in the east apparently cannot be delayed.

On the French front the British have taken the village of Selency, two miles west of St. Quentin, and both the British and French troops north and south of this line have driven further wedges into the German front. More than 1,000 prisoners and many machine guns have been taken by the British in these operations. Numerous strong counter attacks were delivered by the enemy both at Selency and Marbais, but Haig's men put all of them down with heavy losses to the Germans.

The Germans have also reacted strongly in the region lying west of the Chemin-des-Dames, endeavoring to regain the territory held by the French as a menace against both the British and the American forces. Here also the enemy was beaten.

Prepare to Evacuate Metz.

Good weather has returned to the American sector on the Lorraine front, but nothing has occurred there except the usual reciprocal bombardment and a resumption of aerial ac-

Hertling Speech Meets With Disfavor in Berlin

(By the Associated Press.) Copenhagen, Denmark, Sept. 25.—Disappointment over Chancellor von Hertling's speech is indicated by special dispatches from Berlin. The Vossische Zeitung said the speech received hardly any applause from the majority of those who listened to it, and with hisses from the minority, and that its reception leaves no doubt that at least a considerable part of the majority in the Reichstag regarded his continuance in office as a hindrance to the new order of things. Both the Vossische Zeitung and Vorwarts emphasize the need of the government coming to an agreement with the Socialist program. Vorwarts declares that the Chancellor's speech has widened the gulf between the Socialists and the government.

Theodor Wolff, in the Tageblatt, says that a new era is coming and that von Hertling belongs to a generation whose knell is being rung amid the cannon's thunder.

VICE CHANCELLOR STILL UPHOLDS PEACE PACTS

Speaking Before Main Committee of Reichstag, von Payer Defends Stuttgart Speech

Amsterdam, Holland, Sept. 25.—Vice Chancellor von Payer, speaking before the main committee of the Reichstag, defended his Stuttgart speech, in which he declared the treaties of Bucharest and Brest-Litovsk must stand. The vice chancellor said it would be a mistake to abandon those treaties in so far as they regulate the relations between the signatories, but he added:

"If one day we are able to display so much insight, self control and selflessness that we can without injury to our interests permit our enemy to collaborate in questions, which only affect them indirectly, if at all, we can, after all, come to an understanding with those who, with us, are concerned whether we shall discuss on the basis of reciprocity these questions also with our enemies."

The vice chancellor's speech was almost entirely concerned with the explanation about the Baltic provinces and the unaltered conditions prevailing there. He said it was not intended to allow Courland, Livonia and Esthonia to continue as independent states. They must, and he believed they desired, to be combined into a single state, especially as partition based on ethnographical considerations was practically impossible. The treaties already made, he added, were merely preliminary; a definite conclusion was impossible until the government of the new state had been informed.

Von Payer admitted that opinion regarding the form of the future government of the Baltic provinces was as divergent in Germany as in the provinces themselves and was a question for the future to decide. With reference to the Brest-Litovsk and Bucharest treaties, he declared these must be upheld during the war, adding that to meddle with them while the war lasted would bring the idea of submitting existing peace treaties to a world peace conference.

BOLSHEVIKI LEAVE LONDON.

London, England, Sept. 25.—Maxim Litvinoff, the Bolshevik ambassador at London, and about 50 of his companions, left today for Russia, according to an agreement between the British government and the Soviet authorities that Litvinoff's departure would be followed by that of the British representatives and subjects in Russia.

M. Litvinoff will remain aboard the steamer at a neutral point until assurances are received that the British have crossed the Russian border.

TRIED TO BLOW UP NAVAL PLANT

Trenton, N. J., Sept. 25.—Fred W. Bischoff, Heidelberg graduate and practicing dentist, today pleaded guilty in federal court to a charge of attempting to blow up the naval machinery plant of Gould and Eberhardt at Irvington, on June 28, last, federal agents frustrated the attempt.

Activity on a great scale. Advances from Berlin are to the effect that there is much perturbation in Germany over the long-distance guns of the Americans, which are shelling the areas behind the German lines. The advances say that preparations are being made for the expeditious evacuation of citizens from Metz and other places within range when such a move becomes necessary.

Turks Planned for Retreat.

Constantinople, Turkey, via London, England, Sept. 25.—The retreat of the Turks in Palestine was still being carried out Tuesday, according to the war office communication issued today. It asserts that the maneuver is being made in conformity with prepared plans.

WILSON TO OPEN BIG LOAN DRIVE

President Consents to Make Address in New York City Tomorrow Evening

FINAL PREPARATIONS

Treasury Department Denies Report That No "Baby Bonds" Will Be Issued

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—President Wilson will launch the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign with an address Friday night in New York City. The President previously had decided that he could not leave Washington to make an extended tour on behalf of the loan, but he consented today to speak on the eve of the opening of the three weeks' drive.

Final preparations for the campaign went steadily ahead today. Treasury department officials took cognizance of wide-spread reports that no subscriptions of less than \$200 would be accepted for the Fourth Liberty Loan and that no \$50 bonds would be issued. As proving the falsity of these rumors, officials pointed to the fact that a larger proportion of the \$50 bonds have been printed this time than ever before and to the additional fact that loan committees have been instructed to make strong efforts to sell these "baby bonds" to persons of very small means, who are inclined not to participate in the loan.

About 1,500,000 bonds, mainly of small denominations, had been finished by the bureau of printing and engraving today, and these were on their way to federal reserve district headquarters. The first shipment went yesterday to San Francisco and other distant points and other officials hope to have some bonds ready for outright sale in the large cities when the subscription period opens, just after next Friday night.

Great Lakes, Ill., Sept. 25.—The Great Lakes Naval Training Station band will leave Thursday for its sweep around the country in the interest of the Fourth Liberty Loan. The train will be a miniature naval station on wheels. John Philip Sousa will direct the playing. The band, which consists of 300 pieces, will swing around the middle west, starting at Peoria, Ill., and winding up in the east, visiting Boston, New York and Buffalo. The departure, planned for several days ago, was delayed by the outbreak of Spanish influenza at the station. The epidemic is now considered under control.

SENATE VOTE ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE IS DOUBTFUL

Resolution Proposing Submitting of Constitutional Amendment Called Up Today

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—Outcome of the vote in the senate on woman suffrage apparently was in greater doubt tonight than has been any action by congress in many years. The only points on which the advocates and opponents were agreed was that the house resolution proposing submission to the states of the Susan B. Anthony amendment to the federal constitution would be called up when the senate convenes tomorrow. Both sides expressed the greatest confidence in the result, but it was not certain a vote would be reached before adjournment.

Both sides expected only brief debate on the resolution and believed a vote would be reached during the day. Final arrangements for tomorrow's contest were made today with negotiations for pairing off absent senators and campaigning by both factions. Women thronged the senate office building, making their final drive in the night. Most of the personal solicitations were made by members of the suffrage organizations. The opposition, however, not in inactive.

Preparations have been made for handling a capacity crowd in the senate galleries. Admission will be by special card only, with sections of the galleries allotted to organizations advocating and opposing the resolution.

ANNOUNCE CANADA'S WAR LOSS.

Ottawa, Canada, Sept. 25.—The net losses in the overseas military forces of Canada in England and in France up to August 1 were 115,895 officers, non-commissioned officers and men, it was announced today.

These figures include those killed in action, died of wounds, died, missing, prisoners of war, discharged as medically unfit, discharged to take up other lines of war work, and those non-commissioned officers and men given commissions in the imperial army. It does not take into account officers and other ranks wounded in action who have rejoined their units or are still fit for service overseas.

LIBERALIZE DRAFT REGULATIONS

Right of Industrial Claims for Exemption of New Registrants Extended to Previous Draftees.

New York, Sept. 25.—An announcement that the more liberal provisions of the new draft regulations in regard to deferred classification based upon essential occupations have been extended to apply to registrants of the classes who registered prior to Sept. 12 last, where they have been classified for special or limited military service only, was made tonight by Martin Conboy, director of the draft in New York city.

These necessary employments may come under such heads as financial, commercial, educational, hospital work, care of the public health or conduct of other activities necessary to the public welfare and the prosecution of the war. To be entitled to this deferred classification, however, not only must the industry, occupation or employment of the registrant be necessary, but his relation to it must also be necessary.

INCOME TAXES ARE APPROVED

Senate Committee Makes But Few Changes in House Draft of Revenue Bill

READJUST SURTAX RATE

Would Exempt Taxation On Incomes Up to \$3,500 of Men in Active Service

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—Provisions of the house draft of the war revenue bill designed to raise \$1,482,000,000 from incomes of individuals were approved with slight changes today by the senate finance committee, which is revising the measure. The normal rate of 12 per cent on incomes of individuals with 6 per cent for the first \$4,000 or less, was adopted by the committee decided to readjust the surtax rates, without, however, reducing the amount of revenue they are designed to raise.

First Important Change Made.

In considering other sections of the individual income tax, the senate committee made its first important change in the house bill.

For the house clause exempting from income taxes salaries of men in the military service abroad or at sea up to \$3,500, the committee substituted a provision that all salaries received from the government by men in "active service in the field or at sea," shall be exempt from taxation.

Action on the house provision proposing a tax on the salaries of the President, federal judges and officials of states, counties and municipalities, was deferred. The committee also temporarily passed over the house plan to tax interest received from state, county or municipal bonds.

Consider Some Taxes Excessive. The new graduated surtax rates are expected to range within the present limits of from two per cent on incomes over \$5,000 to 55 per cent on those exceeding \$50,000, but are to be more uniformly graduated. The house increases on incomes between \$10,000 and \$30,000 and between \$100,000 and \$300,000 were regarded by committee members as excessive, while increases in other grades were believed to be too low.

In considering the definition of gross income, the committee today deferred decision regarding the inclusion of proceeds from life insurance policies, but approved the house plan of including income from accident and health insurances.

The question of deduction to be allowed in computing individual incomes will be considered tomorrow.

U-BOATS STILL FACTOR IN WAR.

Amsterdam, Holland, Sept. 25.—Captain Brueninghaus, speaking for the German navy department in the main committee of the Reichstag, said that U-boats were sinking more cargo space than was being built by the Entente Allies and that the number of German submarines in service today was larger than at any period of the war.

"The navy," Captain Brueninghaus continued, "is still convinced that our U-boat warfare is the sole means for making the Anglo-Saxon race see reason."

KILLED WHEN SHELLS FALL.

Rochester, Sept. 25.—Two men were killed and three others injured in the factory of the Sprmington machine corporation here late today, when a pile of shells, which had been undermined by the rain toppled over onto them. The dead are Antonio Magro, 45, and Antonio Ross, 52, both of this city. The injured are Frank LaMardo, 39, hip broken and bruised; C. Munise, 37, scalp wound and bruised back; M. Note, ankle broken and back injured.

REPUBLICANS TO PUSH LOAN-HAYS

"Success of Fourth Liberty Loan Shall Be Party's Chief Motif"

PRaises OUR SOLDIERS

"Every G. O. P. Organization in Country A Fighting Force For Bond Sales"

New York, Sept. 25.—Chairman William H. Hays, of the Republican national committee, tonight issued a statement directed to state, district and county chairmen and all Republican workers, saying that "the success of the Fourth Liberty Loan shall be the Republican party's supreme motive of thought and action until that objective is attained."

The statement in part follows: "The mission of America is about to be accomplished.

America's "Stuff" Being Shown.

"American soldiers in France are at this moment demonstrating to the world the reason for America and the stuff of which this republic is made."

"Their complete success and the consequent eternal establishment everywhere in the world of the integrity of American rights, interests and honor, and the right of men to govern themselves are all assured with the proper performance of the plainest duty of the citizenry at home."

"The Fourth Liberty Loan is our next objective."

"There is not geography, political or physical, in the patriotism of this country. Democrats and Republicans alike love their flag and are ready to die for it. We continually insist for all parties that the war be kept out of partisan politics and that partisanship be kept out of the war."

"Just as in congress the Republicans led the fight that made possible the passage of the great war measure, so now the party membership and organization has an immediate, definite war task in the accomplishment of which it can fully function. I repeat, let there be no contest in this country as to anything that touches the war except that contest—who best can serve, who most can give."

Success of Loan Party's Motive.

"The success of the Fourth Liberty Loan shall be the Republican party's supreme motive of thought and action until that objective is attained."

"This is an united country's next measure to Germany."

"The entire Republican organization in every voting precinct in this country shall be a fighting force in this Liberty Loan drive. This is the Republican organization's business. This is the real business of every man, woman and child in America."

"Everything else is chores."

INFLUENZA RAPIDLY SPREADING OVER U.S.

Washington Officials Confer on Measures to Help Communities to Combat Disease

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—Spanish influenza has spread over the country so rapidly that officials of the health service, war and navy departments and the Red Cross conferred today on measures to help local communities in combating the disease. Calls for assistance already have been received from 32 local cities and, in one instance, Wilmington, N. C., the public health service hospital was open for treatment of persons suffering from the disease.

Surgeon General Rupert Blue of the public health service, said tonight that latest reports showed that the malady has made its appearance in 24 states, from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The disease is epidemic in New England, where it first made its appearance, and officials in that section are considering drastic steps to curb its spread, including the prevention of public gatherings.

Influenza has appeared on the Pacific coast, in Washington and California, but is not yet epidemic there. It also has been reported in Minnesota and Iowa, but with few cases. East of the Mississippi, however, there are few states where it has not been found.

The disease continued to spread today in army camps, 5,324 new cases being reported to the office of Surgeon General Gorgas of the army up to noon. New camps were added to the list and it was announced that there are 15 camps and stations free from influenza.

The total reported from the camps today was the largest in any one day and brought the total for all the camps to 25,962 cases. The number of cases of pneumonia reported among the soldiers since the outbreak of the influenza epidemic, Sept. 12, is 2,215, and the number of deaths since that date is 530, with 155 reported today.

Death of Archbishop John Ireland Occurs Yesterday

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 25.—Archbishop John Ireland, who died this morning, will be buried next Wednesday in Calvary cemetery here, in compliance with his wish. The Rev. Thomas Welsh, secretary to the prelate, explained that the body would not be placed in the cathedral crypt.

Father Welsh said the dying archbishop had said to him: "Let me be out there with my people under the green sod of Calvary."

Hundreds of telegrams and cable messages from many parts of the world, paying honor to the memory and achievement of the archbishop, were received today at his home.

It was decided this afternoon that the body will be in state on Tuesday in the cathedral—one of the most magnificent church edifices in the United States. Solemn services will start at 10 a. m. Wednesday. They will be the same as those which marked the burial of Cardinal Farley.

BARGE CANAL ELECTRIC PLANTS ORDERED SHUT

Lowness of Water in Canal Cause of Step-Superintendent of Public Works Protests

Auburn, Sept. 25.—Federal and state authorities have been asked to stay the order received here today from W. W. Witherspoon, state superintendent of public works, directing the Empire Gas and Electric company to shut down its hydro-electric plants on the barge canal next Friday until the water reaches 455 degrees above sea level.

It was pointed out in protests sent to Washington and Albany that not only will many factories in Auburn and other cities and towns have to shut down, but that, on the eve of the Liberty Loan campaign, newspapers will be unable to publish. It was intimated that the barge canal engineers miscalculated the amount of water to be obtained from Seneca lake, as heavy rains should have kept the water in the canal at the established level.

More than 9,000 horse power is generated by the Empire company at Seneca Falls and distributed to factories in Geneva, Auburn, Seneca Falls, Lyons, Waterloo, Clyde and other towns in Central New York. To cut off this power, it was said, would cause many industries, now working at maximum output, to shut down.

In Auburn, for example, 60 per cent of the power comes from Seneca Falls. The remaining 40 per cent comes from Niagara Falls and from steam plants here, but all of it would have to go to 100 per cent war industries in Auburn and Geneva, leaving about 80 per cent of the factories idle and throwing 7,000 persons out of work. In Seneca Falls and Geneva, it was said, the figures would be greater.

SWEDEN PROVES SEDITION.

New York, Sept. 25.—Knute Joel Lowendahl, a Swedish masseur, was taken from the Empire State express on its arrival at the 125th street station and locked up, charged with making seditious remarks. The complainant was Lieut. Vincent W. Herold of the Aviation corps. Half a dozen passengers, carrying their baggage, went to the police station and offered to testify against Lowendahl.

The passengers said that as the train approached Syracuse, Lowendahl made several seditious remarks and ended by declaring: "I wish that death might come to every member of the American expeditionary forces in France."

He was guarded by the passengers while the trainmen telegraphed ahead to have police ready to make the arrest.

CLAYE SHIPBUILDERS STRIKE.

London, England, Sept. 25.—The strike of the Clyde shipwrights, which began a few days ago for a minimum wage of five pounds sterling weekly, has extended until now virtually all the men in all the Clyde yards are idle.

The action of the men has been disavowed by the union leaders, who have strongly urged them to resume work.

BRITISH DESTROY 32 GOTHAS.

London, England, Sept. 25.—Fifty-three hostile airplanes were accounted for by British aviators on Tuesday according to the official announcement tonight. Thirty-one of these were destroyed and 22 were driven down. Ten British machines failed to return. More than 2,000 photographs were taken and 12½ tons of bombs were dropped in 24 hours.

164 NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 25.—The following casualties are reported by General Pershing:

GERMANS UNABLE TO HOLD DALLON

Huns Had Been Ordered to Prevent Town's Capture to "Last Drop of Blood"

HILL 138 ENDANGERED

Capture Of This Position by French Would Greatly Weaken St. Quentin's Defences

(By the Associated Press.)

With the French Army in France, Sept. 25.—General Debeny's troops in their latest advance toward St. Quentin took a position at Dallou which the 221st German division had been ordered to "hold to the last drop of blood."

Ten German officers and more than 500 men were prevented from making the supreme sacrifice demanded of them. They fought well under the protection of a curtain fire from their artillery posted around St. Quentin, but the French troops were upon them in successive waves so quickly that they could not carry out the order of their commanding general von LaChevalerie, except by committing suicide. The alternative of captivity appeared acceptable to most of them.

General Debeny's men, having approached the position to within proper distance for an assault, abandoned the method of infiltration, which had characterized the operations around St. Quentin, and made a resolute frontal attack, which the nature of the obstacles necessitated.

In the first bound they took the central point of resistance at Francilly-Selency and the cross roads 500 yards to the east, keeping close up with the creeping barrage, which their artillery maintained with splendid precision, the attacking waves sweeping the eastern edge of Savy wood clear of the enemy, passing through and beyond Marbais, and taking the village of L'Espine-de-Dallon by assault.

French Envoys on Hill 138.

Meanwhile German resistance coming up through the ravine from the region of St. Quentin, was caught under the fire of the French guns.

This success made precarious the German hold on Hill 138. This is the highest point in the position along the ridges from Hainon to Dallou, which the enemy has been fortifying with feverish haste. Its fall, while it might not mean the fall of St. Quentin, would greatly weaken the defenses of that city.

The troops that took Dallou by assault were the same troops, who distinguished themselves in the fighting at LaPannetiere, along the Canal du Nord and took Beauvais three times during the campaign that freed the Montdidier pocket and drove the Germans to the Hindenburg line. They have changed their tactics in fighting in the bushes, in marshes and in the open with the same success and with an endurance that is emphasized by the number of fresh German divisions they have met since the battle at Beauvais.

FORMAL NOTIFICATION MEETING

State and National Leaders of Democratic Party Arrive at Syracuse to Participate in Event Tonight.

Syracuse, Sept. 25.—State and national leaders of the Democratic party arrived in Syracuse tonight to participate in conferences and to attend the meeting tomorrow night at which Alfred E. Smith, candidate for governor, and his associates on the state ticket, will be formally notified of their nomination.

The notification meeting will mark the opening of the state political campaign. Interest centers in the speech of Mr. Smith. Ex-Judge Joseph Kellogg of Glens Falls, chairman of the Democratic state campaign committee, arrived tonight. Others on the ground include State Chairman Edwin M. Harris and National Committeeman Norman E. Mack. Mr. Smith was today conferring with leaders in North-east New York. He is expected here tomorrow morning.

Justice Kellogg issued a statement tonight in which he said: "The people are going to coordinate the government of the Empire state and all its resources behind the General Foch of the White House—Woodrow Wilson, the leader of world democracy."

"The crisis is too important to permit of any lack of harmony, political or otherwise, between the government at Washington and so important a subdivision of the nation as the Empire state."

"A defeat of the party of the president in this great commonwealth at this time would be taken by our enemies as a repudiation of his policies. It would revive their faltering confidence and weaken his prestige. It might prolong the conflict and cost the lives of many additional American boys."

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

SENT FROM SIDNEY CENTER.

Woman's Home Missionary Society Elects Officers for Ensuing Year.

Sidney Center, Sept. 25.—The Woman's Home Missionary society at their annual meeting last Friday afternoon elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Mrs. G. R. Young, vice president, Mrs. M. W. Benedict; recording secretary, Mrs. E. R. Wheat; corresponding secretary, Mrs. James Hodges; treasurer, Mrs. George Huyck.

Mr. and Mrs. Simonson Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. George Simonson entertained 20 friends at their home last Saturday evening. The social intercourse, victrola music and choice refreshments were enjoyed by all present.

Meeting of Maywood Grange.

The regular meeting of Maywood grange will be held in grange hall next Tuesday evening. The lecturer's program will consist of readings from the National Grange Monthly by Mrs. V. G. Shaffer and Mrs. A. M. Rutenber, report of the Pomona grange by H. W. Dewey and current topics in response to roll call.

Personalities.

Private Charles Amner has been transferred from Camp Humphrey to Camp Merritt, N. J., and expects soon to embark for overseas.—C. J. Bailey of Rock Rift has purchased of Miss Emily Haight the Bishop residence on Main street and will assume possession at once.—C. C. Shaw is having the Central Market block on Main street repaired. George Foote and James DeForest of Sidney are doing the work.—Warner Dunshee, of Oneonta, a fireman on the D. & H., is spending a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Dunshee. His vacation at this time is owing to an accident Sunday night when in firing the furnace of his en-

gine his right hand became caught in the door which closed automatically, crushing one of his fingers badly.—The ladies of the Red Cross are planning to give the one act play, "The Pease Sisters," in Smith's hall early in October.

NORTH KORTRIGHT NOTES.

Bruce MacLaury and Linn James Enter Union College as Cadets.

North Kortright, Sept. 25.—Bruce K. MacLaury, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. MacLaury, of Kortright, who graduated last June from Stamford High school as valedictorian of his class, departed Friday morning for Schenectady, where he enters Union college, taking up a course in electrical engineering, in connection with military training.

Linn Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jones, of Kortright Station, left Monday to combine military training with a course in civil engineering at Union college. He has for some time had employment at Ilion.

Edgar Strongman, another Kortright young man, who has been in the employ of the government, has gone to a naval training school near Chicago.

Preparing for Winter.

E. L. Graff is engaged in relaying the cellar wall under the residence of J. A. Rowland, the unusual severity of the past winter, having injured the wall by the heaving of the ground.

ACCEPTS HOOSIC FALLS CALL.

Rev. John A. Wright, former Delhi pastor, locates in New Pastorate.

Delhi, Sept. 25.—Rev. John A. Wright, a former pastor of the Baptist church here, has accepted a call to Hoosic Falls, and is moving his family there this week. He will continue to work for a time at least.

The Liberty Loan Drive.

George E. Scott is chairman of the Liberty Loan committee and Frank Farrington chairman of publicity committee.

Short addresses will be delivered in the different churches next Sunday on this subject by Prof. C. O. Dubois, E. O. Harkness, Dr. C. R. Woods and H. J. Hewitt.

News Notes.

B. and C. B. Johnson of Andes, attorneys, were in town today engaged

in a matter in Surrogate's court.—Mr. Buell, a retired farmer, formerly of the town of Kortright, who purchased the MacLaury house and lot on Upper Main street as a residence, has materially improved the house and is now living therein.—Rev. A. M. Foster of First Presbyterian church and Rev. W. M. Kirtledge of Second Presbyterian church have returned from their vacations and are busy with their pastoral duties.—Alton L. VanTassel, county superintendent of highways, is in town this week on official business.—Harry L. Eckert of Bloomville, chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Delaware county, was in town yesterday on business.—There is some prospect of the Delhi Silk mill being operated again.—The C. D. Williams store on Main street is now vacant.

SIDNEY SIFTINGS.

American University Club Holds First Meeting of Season Tuesday.

Sidney, Sept. 25.—The first meeting of the season of the American University club was held last evening. It opened with a reception to the members by the officers and executive committee at the Larkin club rooms. At 9 o'clock adjournment was taken to the Hotel DeCumber, where a five-course banquet was served.

About 75 covers were laid. Mrs. A. P. Clark presided as chairman in the absence of the club president, Mrs. W. T. Miller. The program opened with all singing America. This was followed by the members taking the oath of allegiance. The club roll was then signed by the members. Mrs. Clark made a few remarks of a patriotic nature. The chairman of the committee were then introduced and each in turn made a brief address.

They are as follows: Miss Carrie Miller, civics; Mrs. William Jameson, dramatic; Mrs. Earl Case, music; Mrs. J. H. Rushon addressed the members of the War Chest drive and the chairman appointed the following committee on this matter: Mrs. Rushon, Mrs. Jameson and Mrs. Fleming. All joined in the chorus of "Keep the Home Fires Burning." Mrs. B. C. Broadfoot spoke on Woman's Part in the War, relative to farmettes and other features of the part women are taking. Miss Anna Smith spoke of the Fourth Liberty Loan, followed by all singing the chorus of "Over There." Mrs. William Turk, continued as Uncle Sam, Mrs. W. A. Perry, as a soldier and Miss Miller as a Red Cross nurse then entered the dining room and Uncle Sam announced that he was there to distribute propaganda on the Fourth Liberty Loan, War Savings Stamps and Food conservation. Each member received a card with appropriate verses, which she was required to read and which caused much merriment. By this time the elaborate luncheon had been brought to a close and the pleasant affair was closed by all singing the Star Spangled Banner.

The committee in charge was Mrs. William Turk, Mrs. C. A. Fairbanks, Mrs. H. J. Fleming, Mrs. H. M. Hatfield, Mrs. A. S. Golden, Mrs. W. A. Perry and Mrs. C. E. Seelye. A color scheme of red, white and blue was carried out in the decorations. The dining room was trimmed with flags and Liberty Loan posters and at each plate was the club's year book and a bouquet of red, white and blue flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham Surprised.

Following the regular meeting of Sidney chapter of the Eastern Star last evening, a surprise reception was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dunham in honor of their recent marriage. For several years both have been active in the affairs of the chapter and it was thought the occasion a fitting one to give them a token in appreciation. They were presented with a beautiful cut glass bowl. A pleasant social hour with music and games followed.

County Business Men's Convention.

Local Food Administrator E. A. Gibson, M. J. Kipp, J. J. Klinkhammer, M. B. Cook, C. C. Shaw and C. S. Lines were Sidney business men who went to Walton Monday to attend a convention of the business men of Delaware county. There were over 100 present. County Food Administrator A. J. Courtney of Walton presided. The food situation was discussed and especially that relating to sugar and flour. A committee of three business men will be appointed to regulate food prices throughout the county. They will meet weekly following organization. The cash and carry plan came up for considerable discussion and it is very probable that in the near future a co-operative delivery system will be in operation in most of the villages of the county for the purpose of reducing expenses, keeping prices lower and to conserve man power.

Rev. Hall Preaches Here.

Rev. T. F. Hall, D. D., of Coopers-town, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday. Mr. Hall was formerly presiding elder of the Oneonta district of the Wyoming conference and for several years was pastor of the Oneonta Methodist Episcopal church. His sermons were greatly enjoyed both morning and evening. He is a fluent and eloquent speaker.

Personal Pointers.

Rev. Thomas Stubbs of Little Valley will again preach at the Congregational church next Sunday. It is thought that Mr. Stubbs will receive a call to the Sidney church.—The D. Ds. had a pleasant evening at the home of Miss Mabel DeForest recently. Music and games were enjoyed and refreshments served.—Miss Carrie Smith is visiting her home in Sherburne.—Mrs. Arthur Flower has returned from a visit to Otego.—Miss Edna Northrup of Elizabeth, who has been visiting the Misses Denton, has returned home.—Harold Preson, who recently enlisted in the Naval reserve, and who is stationed at the Bensonhurst training station, spent Sunday at his home in Sidney.

Charles Simmons and family have moved from Canadilla to Sidney and into the Stanley house on Pleasant street.—Humane Society Officer Charles Phelps and Special Officer John Albrecht, left today with their families for Ithaca to attend a state convention of the Societies for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Animals.—Mrs. Eva Brandt is spending the week in Mamaroneck with her daughter, Mildred, who is teaching there.—Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Whitney and son, Aubrey, are spending the week with relatives in Seneca.—Miss Sara Patchen, who has been spending a few days at her home in Sidney, has gone to Schenectady, where she has been assigned to the third truck operator on the D. & H.—Miss Minnie Green, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Georgia Willsey, has returned to her home in Chatham.—Mrs. Clayton Taylor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Josey, at Windham, Pa.—Miss Bernice Simpson, a graduate of this year's class, Sidney High school, will leave Friday for Poughkeepsie to attend Eastman's Business college.

WIN THE WAR MEETING

To Be Held in Lecture Room of Hobart Methodist Church Tonight.

Hobart, Sept. 25.—There will be a Win-the-War meeting in the lecture room of the Methodist Episcopal church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Snodgrass, food conservation agent for Delaware county, Miss Waterbury, her assistant, and Miss Freer, a state worker, will be present to give talks. Everyone cordially invited.

Bible Class Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Douglas Bible class, which was to have been held Friday of this week, has been indefinitely postponed.

Points About People.

Fred Pick of Toledo, Ohio, is a guest of his sister, Mrs. W. S. Dart.—Charles Finegan, who has been spending a few days in Avon, has returned home.—W. H. Sheffield is in New York on business.—Arthur Van Buren has passed the examinations for entrance into Columbia college as a cadet in the students' army training corps.—Miss Dorothy Abrams, who is attending school in Boston, is spending a few days at her home here.

DAVENPORT CENTER.

Davenport Center, Sept. 24.—W. H. Roberts is gaining and able to be about the streets.—James Summerson of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., who has been a guest of his parents, left today for a visit with his brother at Hartwick before returning home.—The Ladies' Aid society will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. E. Davis and will be entertained by Mrs. Davis and Mrs. H. H. Kerr.—The subject of Rev. George Summerson's sermon next sabbath morning will be "Why John Smith Does Not Attend Church."—Delos Simmons is very low at his home in the village.

Citizens' National Bank

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Wanted—Reliable man to deliver groceries and work in store. Apply Canfield's grocery.

Satisfied the coffee crank, by buying Kilpatrick, the coffee with a flavor.

Cider barrels for sale. Parish, 123 Main street.

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When the human machinery begins to wear out, you grow old, go into decline and decay, the blood becomes thin and watery, circulation poor, the nerves strained and weak.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Persant to an order of Glysses G. Welch, county judge and acting surrogate of the county of Otsego, and as hereby given, claims against the estate of John C. Kinney, deceased, and of the county of Otsego, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers therefor, to the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at his residence, 15 Riverside avenue, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the first day of October next.

Dated, March 25, 1918.

JAMES B. GERLING, Executor.

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Be a Joy-Walker, "Gets-It" for Corns

2 Drops, 2 Seconds—Corns Is Doomed!

When you almost die with your shoes on and corns make you almost walk sideways to get away from the pain, take a vacation for a minute or two and apply 2 or 3 drops



"My Corns Peel Clean Off, With 'Gets-It'!" of the world's magic and only genuine corn-peeler, "Gets-It." Then, and then only, will you be sure that your corn will loosen from your toes so that you can peel it right off. Take no chances of continued pain and soreness—why use greasy, irritating salves, plasters that shift and press into the "quick," raws and "diggers" that make corns bleed and grow faster? Use "Gets-It," and always succeed. "Gets-It" is the only one like it in the world—that's why it's so famous. It never fails. "Gets-It" for years. It never fails. "Gets-It" is the guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, the only one that costs but a trifle at any drug store. Sold in Oneonta and recommended by the Oneonta corn remedy by E. E. Scarsford, H. B. Gildersleeve, George S. Slade.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

The New York Markets.

New York, Sept. 25.—Resumption of professional selling on a broader scale in the stock market today checked the upward tendency which had been in evidence during the past week. Conviction is still strong in some quarters that, aside from any special influences which may inject themselves as levers to raise prices, money restriction is still the paramount factor. Disposition has been shown also, toward retrenchments in purchasing with a view to investing in the Fourth Liberty Loan.

After a somewhat confused opening, there were sharp declines when generous offerings in many stocks, notably United States steels were not absorbed, except as market concessions. The general weakness in steels was attributed to prospects of smaller earnings as a result of the decision to operate under an eight-hour day, this plan foreshadowing largely increased prices for labor.

Tobacco, distilleries shares, oils, motors and coppers suffered depressions in sympathy, but in the afternoon strength was imbued to the general list by buying of equipments and a large turnover of marine preferred and common stock at an advance, and sharp recoveries were made. Liberty bonds were affected early after announcement of the terms of the new issue, but strengthened later. The general bond list was variable. United States bonds, old issues were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

Butter—Firm; receipts, 7,143; creamery, higher than extras, 62½¢; creamery, extras (92) score, 61½¢; 62; firms, 59¢; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 40¢; 40½¢.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 10,722; fresh gathered, extras, 55¢; 54; fresh gathered, regular packed, extra firms, 51¢; do firms, 48¢; state, Penna. and nearby western hennery whites, fine to fancy, 65¢; state Penna. and nearby hennery browns, 54¢; 53; do gathered browns and mixed colors, 46¢; 54.

Cheese—Strong; receipts, 1,059; state, fresh, specials, 29¢; 28; do average run, 29½¢.

Live poultry—Steady and unchanged; dressed, firm; broilers, 36¢; 45; chickens, 22¢; 41; fowls, 20¢; 35; old roosters, 25¢; 25.

New York Meats.

Beef—Receipts, 2,750; lower; steers, \$9.50; 15.25; bulls, \$8.50; 11.00; cows, \$4.25; 10.50.

Calves—Receipts, 1,350; steady; calves, \$15.00; 21.00; culls, \$11.00; 14.00; grassers, \$7.50; 8.50; westerns, \$9.00; 12.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 5,470; steady; sheep, \$8.00; 12.50; culls, \$5.00; 7.00; lambs, \$15.00; 19.50; culls, \$12.00; 14.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,890; lower; New York and Penna. hogs, \$20.25; 20.50; roughs, \$17.75.

Supper at Emmons Postponed.

The social and supper which was to have been held Sept. 27 by the Ladies' Aid society of the Emmons Methodist Episcopal church, has been postponed one week on account of illness.

West Davenport Ladies' Circle to Meet.

West Davenport, Sept. 25.—The Ladies' circle will meet with Mrs. Charles Everett Thursday for dinner at noon. All are invited.

Wanted—Short order cook for day work at Twentieth Century lunch.

A three months' subscription to The Star for \$1.25.

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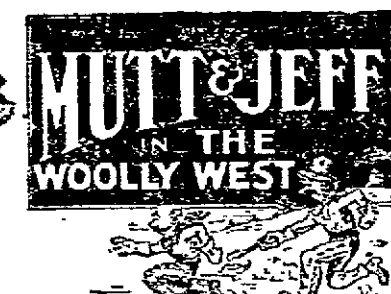
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Saturday we will present two episodes of "A Fight for Millions". This is on account of not being able to present Episode No. 10 last week.

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DEEPENING DEMOCRACY.

With millions of our brave sons in foreign soil, other millions in training in camp here and many more in workshops, factory or on farm devoting themselves more and more completely to the task of preserving democracy in the world, quite probably many of us fail to realize how the influences of these activities and the arousal of public interest in the welfare of others is helping to democratize this nation of ours. This process is forcibly at work—neither an assumption nor a theory but a definite reality. We see and probably realize, to an extent at least, how the draft is shaking together men from all ranks and callings in camps and on the battlefields. It is a stupendous task—this bringing together of all races and all creeds and uniting them in one mighty force. For the first time men of widely varying qualities and from widely differing environs, who follow the same daily routine, eat at the same table, perform the same round of daily duties and sleep under the same roof upon the same cots and with the same coverings have come to have a common interest and to see eye to eye and seek with all their might the same end. What a transformation is being wrought! It is a marvel which even Germany cannot fathom, and we ourselves could scarcely believe possible.

Quite important, if we are to discover its effect upon our nation and its future, is that we recognize the fact that millions of our citizens are experiencing a spiritual awakening, are coming to appreciate and enjoy a true love of country, to feel an interest in the welfare of all human society and experiencing perhaps for the first time not only a willingness, but an eager desire to aid in righting wrongs which have been perpetrated upon others. Yes, we are becoming imbued with a sense of individual responsibility to see that these wrongs are righted and that nevermore shall those empowered with authority and possessing the might to do, manifest such utter disregard for the life and happiness of their fellows.

While the shackles are falling from the people of the old world we should not fail to see that there men the world over an earnest purpose that the principles of true democracy shall prevail everywhere. The men who have given so much to secure for the peoples of other lands the rights they should enjoy will bring back to their own countries new and higher standards, while those, too, who have worked at home to provide food and sustenance and financial support for those who fought the battles of liberty and opportunity will never be content with less than that acme of liberty and opportunity which they sought for others. We see a new spirit among those who give the immense sums for the relief of the down-trodden and oppressed or who toil without wearying that success and help may be given to those who are in distress and it bodes much of good for the future of mankind. Even as the men in the army are forming new valuations of manhood, so we at home are establishing new standards and readjusting our estimates of things worth while.

So the education and ideals of men and women are advancing on broad lines as we meet these trying ordeals of war. The struggle while melting old bonds is welding new ones, and the process of readjustment is destined to make for the betterment of our people and the nation. While deprecating the war with all its horrors, we cannot but observe with cheer and hope the deepening of democracy at home.

Writing Contest at Morris Fair.

The management of the Morris fair, always on the alert for new and interesting features, announces a writing contest this year, for the pupils in the public schools. This contest will be conducted in somewhat the same manner as that held at the State fair. There will be no entrance fee for this contest. Competition will be open to pupils attending school in the towns of Butternut, Laurens, Morris, New Lisbon, Edenboro, Burlington, Pittsfield and Otsego.

Penn. ink and other writing material will be found at the writing booth in the Educational Tent. Each day the better specimens will be on exhibition to await the final judging on the last day of the fair. Suitable prizes will be awarded the winners in each class as follows:

Class 1—Grades 1 to 2.
Class 2—Grades 3 to 4.
Class 3—Grades 5 to 6.
Class 4—High school.

Persia During the World War.

Dr. Mary Allen Joeckler, a medical missionary in Persia, now home on furlough, will speak about Persia during the World War, in the First Presbyterian church parlors this evening at 7:30. Dr. Joeckler is a daughter of Rev. Mr. Allen, who for many years was pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city. She has an intensely interesting story of first hand experience. Everybody is invited.

PERSIA AND ITS NEEDS.

Interesting Address Before Missionary Society, by Mrs. Joeckler.

Mrs. Mary Allen Joeckler, M. D., a medical missionary in Persia and daughter of the late Rev. H. M. Allen, long a beloved pastor of the First Presbyterian church here, delivered a very interesting and profitable address before the Presbyterian Missionary society at the local church yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Joeckler has been working for the past seven years in Persia and expects to return in December or January of the latest to resume her work.

She declared that the people of Persia are very ignorant and very backward and their chief aim now, regardless of expense, is to reach Berlin with the rest of the fighting world. Their aversion was the first cause of trouble with Germany. They were too ignorant to see the hold that Germany was getting upon them and are virtually no better than the Turks, who began to pour in upon them in 1915, terrorizing them and committing all sorts of atrocities and crimes. At one time, she said that about 15,000 Christian refugees were saved by a torn and tattered "Old Glory" that hung over the entrance to a small place in which they had gathered for safety. This flag is hanging in a public building and is beloved by all. The people there have a great love and reverence for our country and they have often heard the people express a wish that the United States would acquire control. There is a strong German propaganda working among the people all the time, trying to influence them to work with Germany. The government is nothing better than anarchy.

There certainly is a great field for Christian workers, as the people realize the United States has no selfish motives in anything that we offer or in the people we send. But with people so ignorant we would have to give them Christianity as well as civilization or in a few years they would be working in the very underground way that the Germans are today. What they need is a moral and spiritual regeneration, and with only 53 missionaries for 30,000,000 people everything cannot be accomplished. At the present time those people are suffering severely from famine. At the time Mrs. Joeckler left there bread was selling at 90 cents per pound and labor receiving only 20 cents per day. People with money would stand in line all day only to go home disappointed at night, for it is next to impossible to get supplies. They depend on mule teams for transporting provisions and a mule will eat 240 pounds of grain while he is carrying in 200 pounds of wheat, so we can easily see how hopeless the situation is. People now are starving by hundreds and are actually eating human flesh from dead bodies until driven away by officers.

WEEK AT TRAINING CAMP.

Chief Clerk Edwin G. Moore of Local Exemption Board Home from Camp.

Chief Clerk Edwin G. Moore of the Local Exemption Board, who was recently enlisted in the service, returned after a week he had the experiences of a "rookie," being put through with a delegation of other limited service men sent from the various up-state boards. It being the intention of the department to have only limited service men in the employ of the boards and all to be in the service. Mr. Moore had the pleasant experience of meeting as members of the squad several Hamilton men whom he knew at college.

The squad were all given a period of intensive training and were put through all the experiences of "rookies" and when the period of training had passed over 50 per cent of the men were retained, being classed there as general service men and will be assigned to regular service with other volunteers.

Mr. Moore stated that the camp is no longer a general training camp, but is now employed for special training and as final camp where they are given the overseas examination and instructions as to the equipment for overseas service. He saw one division of 2,000 Engineers, all from California, who had been in the camp but a few days, leave for a port of embarkation.

He was returned to the Local Board here for service as chief clerk, being accepted for limited service and assigned to duty here. One of the clerks employed as stenographer with the board at Cooperstown was retained for general service by the surgeons there.

Operations at Wana Sanitarium.

Mrs. A. P. Woodard of Keokuk, Iowa, who was taken with an acute attack of appendicitis while visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Donnelly, of Oneonta, was successfully operated upon Saturday, Oct. 1, at the Wana Sanitarium, by Drs. Brinkman of Oneonta and White of Oneonta.

Agnes Prindle, who was successfully operated upon for acute appendicitis, by Drs. Latcher, Brinkman and Getman, three weeks ago, has returned home.

Alfred Phillips of Gilbertsville has so nearly recovered from his operation, performed three weeks ago by Dr. Latcher, that he was able to return home Saturday.

Marion Ryder of Summit, who was operated upon by Dr. Latcher recently, returned home Wednesday.

Operation for Appendicitis.

Dr. M. Latcher was called to South Jefferson yesterday, where he operated upon Rev. Fenton Frazer for the relief of appendicitis. The operation was a success and the outlook for the recovery of the patient is good.

HUN OR HOME?—BUY BONDS

TEN ATTRACTIVE POSTERS MAKE APPEALANCE IN ONEONTA TO PUSH FOURTH LOAN CAMPAIGN.

Persistent reminders stare Oneontans in the face from windows of stores in business section—“Remember Belgium”—“Most Children Die and Mothers Plead in Vain”—“Beat Back the Hun With Liberty Bonds.” Are legends that urge Americans to subscribe for bonds in drive which opens Saturday.

That the merchants of Oneonta were quick to respond to the request of the Liberty Loan committee to call a Chamber of Commerce meeting to secure one or more of the posters used to advertise the coming campaign is evidenced by a look at most of the windows of the business places along Main street. Wherever one turns he is met by a persistent reminder to do his duty. One of the most catching posters is one with the single word, “Lend!” in large white letters on a background of red.

There are ten posters in all, each with a forceful and convincing appeal to buy Liberty bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan, which opens on Saturday. The ten were selected from among numbers of designs contributed to the treasury department through the Division of Pictorial Publicity, of which Charles Dana Gibson is chairman, and were chosen as giving the most powerful presentation of ideas that are behind America's cause.

Joseph Pennell, whose line drawings of industrial processes are widely known, has pictured in Italian style of Liberty crumpling under shell fire in New York harbor, against the lurid background of the blazing city. Over it is the caption: “That Liberty Shall Not Perish from the Earth,” and below the exhortation to buy bonds that the vision may never see realization.

An old painting of a mother with two children stretching out an arm in appeal, the work of Walter R. Everett, is lettered “Most Children Die and Mothers Plead in Vain.”

“Beat Back the Hun With Bonds.” Another reminder of German warfare and its menace, in F. Strethman's poster, depicts a Hun peering over the edge of a ravaged Europe, clinging to a bloody bayonet, with hungry eyes fixed on America. “Beat Back the Hun With Liberty Bonds,” is the exhortation on this last.

Cartoon simplicity is illustrated in a poster by J. Allen St. John, called “The Hun—His Mark,” and showing only a bloody hand print. “Blot It Out With Liberty Bonds,” the artist assures. Likewise John Norton, whose design shows a pair of bloody boots, ornamented with the Imperial German eagle, puts over the easily understood message, “Keep These Off the U. S. A.”

Belgium's tragedy gives the theme for Ellsworth Young's accepted offering, in which a silhouette of Hun drags a girl through a scene of desolation and points the necessity of his legend, “Remember Belgium.” There will be 1,000,000 lithographs of this poster alone.

Marching troops following victory and the eagle through the storm of battle, as depicted by J. Scott Williams, has proved a subject lending itself to reproduction in heroic size. It will appear on over 24-sheet billboards. Walter Whitehead has typified the soldier's admonition, “Con on!” over a khaki figure that faces the foe.

“Hun or Home.” Henry Raleigh, whose “Halt the Hun” poster in previous loan campaigns won wide renown, this time offers “Hun or Home?” in which a little girl, a baby in her arms, gazes in startled apprehension upon a Hun breaking into the household.

Howard Chandler Christy, designing the tenth poster, took a novel subject, marked with realism, when he copied a photograph of a battleship's gun and its crew in action. A figure of Victory towers above the toiling gunners who send home the shell, and the poster is marked “Clear the Way.”

Besides the posters, there will also be distributed widely a card carrying a picture of the Fourth Liberty Loan button, and exhorting every loyal American to wear it.

ADDRESSES W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Alice VanPatten interests “White Ribbons” at Semi-Monthly Meeting.

At the semi-monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. held yesterday in the W. C. T. U. rooms, an excellent address on the subject “Defenses” was given by Mrs. Alice VanPatten. This was followed by a circle prayer by the members, after which the following departmental officers were elected: Christian Citizenship—Mrs. Luella Clarke.

Anti-Narcotics—Mrs. Lulu Walker. Evangelistic—Mrs. Alice VanPatten.

Medical Temperance—Mrs. Minerva Jackson.

Press—Mrs. Addie Bost. Flower Mission—Mrs. Genevieve Holmes.

Literature—Mrs. Joanna McNeil. Red Letter Days—Mrs. Hannah Haney and Mrs. Jessie Withers.

S. T. I.—Mrs. Alma Webster. Soldiers and Sailors—Mrs. Alice Peters.

Temperance and Missions—Mrs. E. A. Nearing.

White Ribbon Recruits—Mrs. Antonia McLaughlin.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK

In the County of Otsego, ss. I, the undersigned, being a Justice of the Peace for said county, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the files of the County Clerk of said county.

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COOK & COOK, P. S. C. Chiropractors, 115 Academy Street, Phone 4-W. Consultation and Special Analysis free. Office hours 9:15 a. m. to 1:15 p. m. Wednesday and Friday evenings, 6 to 8 o'clock.

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DR. NORMAN W. GETMAN, 216 Main St. General practice, also special work in diseases of the skin. Office hours 9-10 a. m., 1-3 and 6-8 p. m. Phone: Office 607-J, House 549-W2.

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THE HOFF-MAN DRY CLEANING.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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Dated, March 27, 1918.

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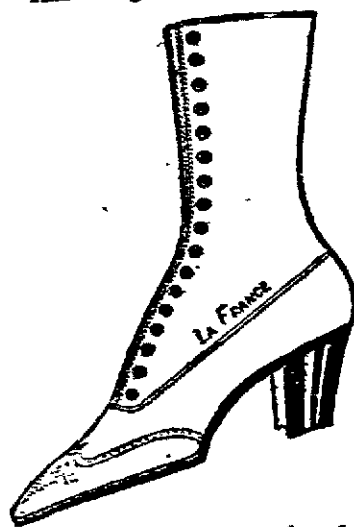
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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

LOCAL MENTION.

A Weather Receipt.

When it drizzles and drizzles,
If we cheerfully smile,
We can make the weather,—
By working together,—
As fair as we choose, in a little while;
For who will notice that clouds are
green,
If pleasant faces are always near?
And who will remember that skies are
grey,
If he carries a happy heart all day?

—Clifford Woolheater has taken possession of an apartment at 323 Main street and commenced house-keeping there.

—The Republican committee has leased the store on Broad street recently occupied by Jennings & Bates as headquarters for the campaign.

—After nearly three years' very successful work at Gurney & Sons store, Miss Ethel Beam has resigned to accept a more lucrative position with Gardner & Stevens' shoe store.

—Miss Vera McIntosh of 7 Otsego street gave a party last evening in honor of Miss Grace Patnode, about 12 young ladies being present. Miss Patnode leaves Saturday morning for Whitehall, where she takes a course in telegraphy.

—Don't forget that the Oneonta Red Cross expects you to help along in the campaign for cast-off clothing for destitute French and Belgians. Weather permitting, collectors will gather bundles that are left on the front porches this afternoon.

—Doyle & Smith have removed their office and factory from the building on Market street, recently acquired by the Quality Silk Mills to the vacant store in the Wilson Hotel block on Chestnut street. The rooms vacated will be used by the Quality Mills.

—About 35 friends gathered last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rose, 44 Spruce street, to help them celebrate their twelfth wedding anniversary. Delicious refreshments were served, and music and other diversions were greatly enjoyed by all present.

—The public is cordially invited to attend the fall fashion parade and opening of the Baby shop at the Oneonta Department store this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. An orchestra will be in attendance and there will be souvenirs for the ladies. An interesting display is promised with live models showing the fall styles.

—The Oneonta City band has volunteered to render a short concert prior to the Safety First rally of the D. & H. company at the Oneonta theatre this evening. It will also render several numbers during the program. All interested will be welcome to attend. Employees and members of their families are especially urged to attend.

—A surprise party was given Miss Grace Hecox last evening, at the home of her mother on Main street, by 20 of her young lady friends, to express their regret at her leaving town. She has been an efficient clerk in E. F. Sisson's store for 17 years and will be greatly missed not only there but by a large circle of friends. As a small token of friendship she was presented with \$500.00 gold piece. She and her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Hecox are soon to remove to Binghamton.

Meetings Today.

Regular review of Oneonta Tent of the Macabees tonight at 8 p. m. Come up and see the new rooms and have a smoke on us.

The Junior Philatelia class of the West End Baptist church will hold their monthly meeting today at the home of Edith Jaycox, 75 Gilbert street, directly after school.

Regular meeting of Autumn lodge Thursday evening at 7:30.

Members of the City band will report promptly at 7 o'clock tonight at the Municipal building to participate in the D. & H. Safety First meeting.

Special meeting of Macabees Rifles after Tent meeting. Business of importance; rifles have arrived. Secretary.

Liberty Loan committee meeting this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. All the women chairmen and the canvassers of the districts should be present to receive instructions and materials.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will hold a special meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Business of importance, including election of officers.

Meeting Postponed.

Owing to the funeral of Rev. Mr. Birdall of Cooperstown, there will be no meeting of St. James' guild this afternoon.

Women's Relief Corps.

All members of the Women's Relief corps are requested to meet at the Red Cross rooms today to sew.

Quick Sale Wanted for eight-room house with improvements on Maple street. Large lot, garden, fruit, shrubbery, etc. Low price for cash or with reasonable payment we might finance it. Ceperley & Morgan, 246 Main street. advt. 1t

Brother Moose.

There will be a smoker and buffet lunch at the club rooms Friday evening, Sept. 27. All come out and have a good time. advt. 1t

Wanted—At once.

Night chef at Pioneer lunch. Steady work, good wages and board to right party. advt. 1t

Mrs. Flanagan, practical nurse,

is now located at 7 Spring street, and is ready to respond to all calls. advt. 1t

B. J. HURLBURT INJURED

WHEN CAR SKIDS ON MACADAM HALF WAY BETWEEN RAIN-BRIDGE AND SIDNEY.

Now at Wana Sanitarium Suffering from Broken Ribs and Injured Back — Mrs. Hurlburt, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wykes and Miss Frances Wykes Escape with Slight Injuries.

B. J. Hurlburt of Otego, well known in this city, is at the Wana sanitarium suffering from several fractured ribs and a painfully if not seriously injured back, sustained when his motor car skidded on the wet macadam midway between Bainbridge and Sidney, at about 8 o'clock last evening, while he and Mrs. Hurlburt, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wykes and Miss Frances Wykes, all of Otego, were returning from Binghamton, where they had been in attendance at the fair. That any of the occupants escaped without serious if not fatal injuries seems marvelous.

They had halted at Bainbridge and left Mrs. Doolittle, another sister of Mr. Wykes and Mrs. Hurlburt, who had accompanied them on the trip and were moving along about 20 miles an hour when the car suddenly skidded on a curve, and, quite possibly, Mr. Hurlburt applied the brakes. It swerved across the road and then back to the right side, in this movement changing ends completely. The car then struck some obstacle at the side of the highway and tipped over, crashing through a woven wire fence and turned over completely once and landed on its side with the under side of the chassis facing the highway and the front facing Binghamton.

All the occupants of the car were within it when it stopped. The top was up and it and the windshield and back served to protect them from injury, although how they escaped with none of the others more than bruised and slightly cut and Mr. Hurlburt not claiming to say the least. Mr. Hurlburt was held by the wheel and steering post and complained from the first of injuries to his side and back. Dr. Danforth was called and did what he could for the injured man and later Mr. Hastings, a local physician, rigged up his Ford truck with a cot and as an improvised ambulance and brought Mr. Hurlburt and his wife to this city. The Fox hospital was crowded and the injured man was taken to the Wana sanitarium, where Dr. Latchford attended him. Several ribs were found broken and his back is severely bruised. He was slightly cut from the broken windshield. How serious his injuries will prove will require a day or two to reveal. However, Dr. Latchford is hopeful that they are not serious.

The other members of the party were brought back to Otego by Messrs. Bennett and Chase of Otego, who hurried to their assistance as soon as the report of the accident reached that village. How seriously the car is damaged cannot be learned. While the car was reported to have been driven to Otego afterward, this, R. A. Wykes, who came to Oneonta, says is untrue, it remaining over night where it landed, some 40 feet off the highway down a small embankment.

SAFETY FIRST RALLY TONIGHT.

Addresses and Pictures for D. & H. Employees at Oneonta Theatre.

This evening, at the Oneonta theatre, the big Safety First rally for D. & H. employees and their families will be held. Superintendent J. K. McNeill will preside. The principal address will be delivered by J. E. Long, superintendent of safety, and his subject will be "Safety First, What It Means and What It Does." "The House That Jack Built," the great safety first motion picture, will be shown and appropriate music will be rendered. The heads of the different departments and the chairmen of the five brotherhoods will give short addresses on the subject.

All employees of the company residing between Delanson and Nineveh are invited to attend the meeting, which promises to be interesting and profitable, as much information as to how to prevent accidents, a large percentage of which are due to carelessness, will be given.

The meeting is in connection with a general movement of the Delaware and Hudson company to reduce the number of accidents, and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

New House for sale—West End, all modern conveniences, very nicely fitted up, will be sold at a bargain. If you want a house that will make an ideal home, get busy on this, as it will not be on the market long. No trades considered. As an investment, this place would be a winner. Write "Ideal Place," care Star office. advt. 2w

The river street has leaves the corner of Main and Chestnut streets on the hour and every 20 minutes thereafter. Leaves corner of Gilbert and River street 10 minutes after the hour and every 20 minutes thereafter. Last trip at 11:20 p. m. from Gilbert street. advt. 5t

Millinery.

A display of the latest models in trimmed hats, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 26 and 27, at Miss A. Caswell's, 21 Broad street. advt. 2t

The reservation of season tickets for the Normal and Public Schools Lecture and Musical course continues at Saunders' book store after 8 o'clock today. advt. 3t

For Sale.

House with modern improvements, 22 Spruce street. Inquire H. E. Farnham. advt. 1t

Wanted—A boy to work in store mornings, nights and Saturdays. Palmer's Grocery. advt. 3t

For Sale—Restaurant furniture. Inquire Arthur Cox's liver, advt. 5t

THREE SERIOUSLY INJURED

WHEN TRACK MOTOR CAR OVER-TURNS AT NORTH END OF NINEVEH YARD.

Injured Men, All Track Employees, Brought to Fox Memorial Hospital for Care — Joe Dellello, the Foreman, Has Fractured Skull and May Die.

Four D. & H. track employees residing at Afton were injured about 6:30 o'clock last evening when the track motor car, upon which they were returning from Harpursville to Afton, after doing some extra work, took an open switch at such a fast pace that the car overturned, three of their number being so seriously injured that they were brought to this city on train 311 and are being cared for at the Fox Memorial hospital.

Joe Dellello, section foreman and in charge of the car, sustained a fractured skull and is considered in a critical condition, with the chances adverse to his recovery.

Charles French sustained a badly fractured left ankle and a severe scalp wound, and while his injuries are not considered critical, they are serious and painful.

Benny Martens, the third man brought here, sustained a serious fracture of the right arm, so serious that it may have to be amputated, although Dr. Marsh, the company surgeon, will endeavor to save it. He suffered a slight scalp wound and all of the men were more or less bruised.

Joe Moorrell, the fourth member of the party, was cut about the head and one leg was bruised and cut. Dr. Butler of Harpursville, who administered first aid to the men at Harpursville, cared for Mr. Moorrell.

None of the injured men were able to explain how the accident happened, but it is quite well established that the small car was operated at too great a speed and when the siding at the extreme end of the Nineveh yard was reached the car's momentum overturned it.

COLLECT CLOTHING TODAY.

Place Bundles of Cast-Off Clothing on Porch This Afternoon.

This afternoon members of the Junior Red Cross will make trips around the city to collect all clothing that is to be used for the relief of needy men, women and children in Belgium and France. All those having cast-off clothing, and that includes nearly everybody, are urged to wrap the garments into a bundle and place on the front porches early this afternoon.

In yesterday's Star, a list of the articles needed was published. If you do not know whether your contribution is desirable, consult this list. The drive in this city is in connection with a nation-wide one which has as its purpose the collection of at least 5,000 tons of America's surplus clothing supply. All Oneontans are urged to do their share to help along this humanitarian cause.

The committee in charge of the work in this city announced last evening that if the weather should be unfavorable this afternoon, the collection will be postponed to Friday afternoon. People residing in blocks in the business section are asked to leave their donations at the vacant store in the theatre block this afternoon or tomorrow morning, and they will receive the proper attention.

Public to Pay War Tax.

Manager Emig of the S and theatre has been notified by the collector of internal revenue that all tax on admissions must be paid by the purchaser when buying tickets, the same as other various articles which the present war tax affects. Manager Addison of the Oneonta theatre has been notified likewise and the tax, which is one cent on ten cent tickets and two cents on 15 cent tickets, will make the admission at both theatres in the future 11 and 17 cents. It is needless to say that all Oneonta people will gladly pay the tax, as every penny helps beat the Hun.

Wilber National Bank.

This bank is now ready to deliver coupon bonds of the 4 1/2 per cent Third Liberty Loan to all those who deposited their bonds for conversion before Sept. 10. The government urges all holders of previous issues, who desire them converted to attend to the matter at once. Our services are free. advt. 3t

Apples! Apples! Apples!

Strawberry, McIntosh and other good varieties grown by Ira S. Jarvis of Hartwick Seminary, can be found at Congdon Bros. store, 412 Main street. The grower has a fine lot of spies, greenings, stark, pound sweets and Talmon sweets. Order your winter supply early. advt. 3t

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Pudney's piano stocks, Sept. 21. At Sidney store, 40 Main street, 5 pianos on hand, 8 player pianos. At Oneonta store, 18 Broad street, 5 pianos, 3 player pianos. At Owego store, 155 North avenue, 1 piano, 2 players. advt. 5t

Eye glasses as fitted by Dr. Shoemaker, optometrist, give best satisfaction. Eyes examined, next date, Wednesday, October 2. Hours 11 to 4. Department Store building, second floor, main entrance. advt. 4-t-5

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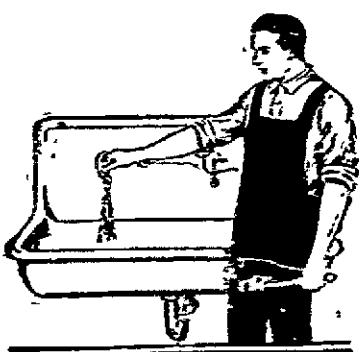
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PERSONALS

Alfred V. Carr left yesterday for Amherst college.
W. L. Rife returned last evening from a visit to Binghamton.
Miss Julia Bryant of Hill Place is attending the Binghamton fair.
Carl L. Shearer returned last evening from a business trip to Albany.
Mrs. George W. Simmons was a business visitor in Albany yesterday.
Mrs. G. B. Shearer and Mrs. D. B. Eddy attended the Cobleskill fair yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. George S. Shide were in Binghamton yesterday in attendance at the fair.
Mrs. F. M. Strong returned last evening from a trip to Binghamton to attend the fair.
Mrs. Seymour Wilbur and daughter of Binghamton were in the city yesterday calling on friends.
Mrs. H. R. Follett, Mrs. Walter D. Fox and Miss Clara Watson were Binghamton visitors yesterday.
Mrs. Alva Woodard of Ilion spent the day yesterday with Mrs. Charles H. Babbitt of Harmon avenue.
Mrs. Earl Codrington of Laurens yesterday accompanied her mother to her home at Otego for a few days' stay.
Mrs. Kling of Utica formerly a resident of this city, arrived in Oneonta last evening for a visit with friends here.
Mrs. Fred Dyer of West Laurens has returned home, after visiting at the home of F. W. Gardner, 34 Valleyview street.
Mrs. E. W. Card and sister, Mary Mitchell, are in Cooperstown with their brother, John Mitchell, who is very ill.
Mrs. M. E. Vandewerker of Worcester returned to her home last evening, after attending the Missionary Presbytery here.
Mrs. David Caswell of Albany returned last evening, after spending a week with her son, David Caswell Jr., of 71 Ford avenue.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weyie, Mrs. Yanson and Mrs. Thorp motored from Roxbury yesterday to spend the day in Oneonta shopping.
Mrs. Anna M. Gould returned to her home last evening after a two weeks' stay with her sister in Cambridge, the latter having been ill.
Mr. and Mrs. McDaniel, who have been spending some time with the latter's sister, Mrs. S. R. Barnes, left for their home in Abilene, Kansas, yesterday.
Mrs. A. L. Kellogg and Miss Katherine Tobey returned last evening from New York city, where they had been in attendance at a Liberty Loan conference.
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Judd and son, Edward, of Richfield Springs, have returned home after spending fair week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walling of 15 Fourth street.
Russell E. Corryell has returned from Camp A. A. Humphreys, Va., after being honorably discharged after four months of faithful service in the forestry division of the United States army.
Miss Kathleen VanCleft, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward D. VanCleft, who was a member of the June class, Oneonta High school, has entered Elmira college for a course at that institution.
Rev. and Mrs. Charles Alexander Lay with two children from Topsham, Vermont, arrived in Oneonta last night. He will preach in the United Presbyterian church here Sunday. From here they will go to Bovina Center for a few days' stay.
F. L. Danforth, formerly division accountant for the D. & H. company here, who recently accepted a similar position with the Fleet Corporation, of which Mr. Schwab is the head, and stationed at Newcastle, Pa., is in the city for a short stay, calling on friends.

MARRIAGES

Clark-Turner

Hartwick, Sept. 25.—At the home of the bride's parents on East Hill, at noon today, occurred the marriage of Miss Bernice Reva Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, to Harry Harlan Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Worth Clark, all of Hartwick. Rev. Thomas Sherwood, pastor of the Baptist church here, performed the ceremony in the presence of 125 friends and relatives of the contracting parties. Miss Bernice Clark, sister of the groom, was the maid of honor, and Thomas Kirkpatrick was the best man. Misses Lena Parker, Dorothy Clark, Gretchen Murdock, Bernice Wright, Myra Turner and Mabel Pratt were the bride's maids.
The bride wore a gown of Belgian blue tulle and carried a bouquet of white asters. The maid of honor's gown was rose color crepe de chine. Miss Marion Russell of Cooperstown played the wedding march. After the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served. Mrs. A. H. Pratt of Hartwick being the cateress. The country home was tastefully decorated with autumn leaves and asters.
Mr. and Mrs. Clark later left for their honeymoon, which will be spent in Utica and New Hartford. They expect to be away about a week and upon their return will occupy a farm near the village which has been prepared for them.
The bride was the recipient of a choice lot of gifts, including silver, china, cut glass, a piano, sums of money, a bedroom suit, and other articles.
Those present at the ceremony from out-of-town were:
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook, Mrs. Arthur Cheney, Utica; Mrs. Richard Stearn and son, Boonville; Mrs. Henry Record, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe Kinney, Mr. and Mrs. Doris Kinney, Mohawk; Miss Theresa Parshall, Oneonta; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cook, Cooperstown; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Schuyler Lake; Warren Clark and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clelland West, West Burlington.

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MONAHAN-STAPLETON WEDDINGS

Jane Stapleton the Bride of John Monahan—Wedded at St. Mary's Church.
Miss Jane Stapleton, daughter of Mrs. Mary Stapleton of 27 Central avenue, and John Monahan of 13 Cherry street were united in marriage at St. Mary's church Wednesday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Father McCaffrey in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends of the popular couple. The bride was gowned in a blue broadcloth traveling suit with a large picture hat of toque velvet. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. James Stapleton, he being a brother of the bride. The ushers were George Stapleton, a brother, and James Gilmarin, a cousin of the bride. The wedding march was played by Miss Irene Hayes.
Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. E. A. Reilly, at which the more intimate friends were in attendance. Later Mr. and Mrs. Monahan departed on the belated afternoon train for a honeymoon trip to New York and Philadelphia, returning from which they will be a home to their friends after October 15 at 65 Church street, where they have a furnished home awaiting them.
The bride, who is an attractive young woman with many friends, until recently an efficient operator at the Bell Telephone exchange, was the recipient of a valuable array of choice gifts, including cut glass, linen and silver. The groom is a young man of excellent standing and a valued employee of the D. & H. company.
Among the friends from away in attendance were Miss Irene Reilly of Albany, Mrs. John Owens of Watervliet and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Stapleton of Binghamton.

ONEONTA WEDS ALBANYAN

Irving L. Pruyn and Emma Frank Kent United in Marriage at Albany.

Yesterday, at noon, at the apartments at the Willett, which they are to occupy in Albany, Irving L. Pruyn of this city and Miss Emma Frank Kent of Albany were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. Brooks, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church of that city. The ceremony was witnessed by only a few near relatives of the bride, including Mr. and Mrs. William W. Capron and daughter, Miss Helen, of this city, and Mrs. S. Miller Kent of New York city. The wedding was a quiet informal affair and Mr. and Mrs. Pruyn will at once take possession of the apartments named.

Mr. Pruyn, who has long been well-known in Oneonta and prominent formerly in the milling business here and elsewhere, has recently acquired a plant of that character at Chatham Center, a short distance out from Albany, which he will direct with a residence in Albany. Mrs. Pruyn is a sister of Mrs. Capron and has been a frequent visitor in this city, acquiring on her visits many friends. To them will be extended the cordial best wishes of many friends here.

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58-acre farm located on the state road, on the Borden milk route, one mile from stores and church. Good productive loam soil with no large stone. Good house with running water. Large cement basement barn, the top for 12 head of stock. Three hen houses, hog pen, running water at barn. The buildings are painted. About 8 acres woodland. There goes with this farm six fine cows, two

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MARRIAGES

Sulwell-Martin

A quiet wedding took place yesterday at 19 a. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Borden, 31 Hudson street, when Miss Ora W. Martin and Floyd W. Sulwell were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Dr. Peadler. Both Mr. and Mrs. Sulwell are residents of Oneonta, the groom being employed in the machine shops of the D. & H. Miss Martin had been employed at the Paragon Silk mill. Following the ceremony they left for a short visit to Hobart and Stamford. They will reside in Oneonta.

Card of Thanks

We desire to gratefully acknowledge our sincere appreciation to each and every one, both in Cooperstown and Middlefield, who in so many ways extended acts of kindness and sympathy in the beautiful memorial service, in memory of our son, Sergeant John W. Stiles, Company G, 107th Infantry.

It is a comfort in our sorrow to have such friends and we thank them all in this way. We want especially to mention the Second National bank, N. P. Wells, the Red Cross and the Home Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stiles,
Mr. Homer Mumford,
Miss Louanna Bowen,
Middlefield, New York, Sept. 24, 1918

Picnic Supper at Universalist Church.
The Social club of Chapin Memorial church will hold a picnic supper and social in the church parlors this evening. All members and friends are cordially invited. Please bring buttered rolls. Supper at 7:15. Hostesses, Mrs. Copeland and Miss Hill, Miss Field and Miss Gaylord.

Dairymen, Attention

There will be a meeting of the Laurens branch of the Dairymen's league Saturday evening, Sept. 28. It is requested that all attend. Matters of importance. adv 2t

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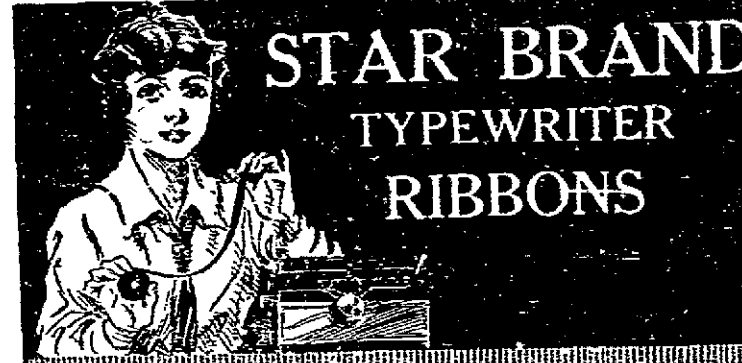
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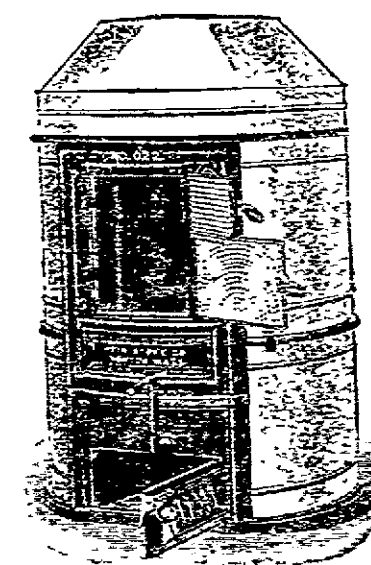
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